IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

EXAMINER: Valdez, Deve E.

Hargens, et al.

GROUP ART UNIT: 1796

APPLICATION NO.: 10/566,188

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Appeal Brief - Patents Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria. VA 22313-1450

Transmittal Letter

Sir,

Enclosed herewith is a Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review regarding the above-identified application.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-4395 in the amount of \$540 for payment of the appeal fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 50-4395.

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Respectfully Submitted,

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